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THE KRUPP ARMOR.

According to dispatches from Wash-
ington it is more than likely that the
officers of the ordnance bureau will re-
commend the use of the recently in-
vented Krupp armor in the con-
struction of the battleships for which
contracts have just been awarded.

It is claimed that experiments have
shown that six inches of the Har-
veyized nickel steel. If this be true the
determination of the board is the only
one which could be justified by com-
mon sense. Experience has shown that
the United States navy is at
present up-to-date on both offensive
and defensive lines. The Brooklyn
proved that comparatively thin Har-
veyized armor can stand a good
deal of pounding even at close
quarters. With the increased per-
centage of resistance claimed for
the new plate it would be
possible to build battleships of a faster
and lighter class without weaken-
ing them at all at any essential point.
Inasmuch as these are the main
considerations in building ships now, it
is to be hoped that a fair and exhaust-
ive test of the new armor will be made.
Then if the claims of the Krupp peo-
ple are found to be correct the bat-
tleships and cruisers that are to be
added to Uncle Sam's navy should be
coated with this splendid armor. No
captious or mistaken idea of economy
should deter the government from put-
ting the very best material that can
be had into the floating defenders of
the national honor.

American sailors and American gun-
ners are the equals of any men afloat
or ashore. They should have the ad-
vantage of the latest and most im-
proved ideas in shipbuilding. The
United States navy must keep pace
with the progress of the world.

The American peace commissioners
have come to the conclusion that the
demands of the United States will be
so very reasonable that there will be
no necessity for a long discussion of
the terms. Theoretically this is all
correct and proper, but we fail to re-
member a single instance on record
where the Spaniards have failed to
discuss matters of this kind. They re-
cognize the fact that they are strong
in the shifty art of diplomacy and
never let an opportunity pass to dis-
play this ability. The present in-
stance may be an exception to the
rule, but if the American commis-
sioners were wise they took along changes
of underwear at least.

Philadelphia has 8,000 school children
for which there is no place in the public
educational institutions of that city.
For this reason the Philadelphia
Record protests against the intro-
duction of a number of unneces-
sary, but very costly, ad-
ditions proposed for the high
school in that city. Such a protest is
eminently just and practical. Art and
culture may be things of beauty and a

joy forever, but the bed rock prin-
ciples of education should not be neglect-
ed for them. When the 8,000 children
who have no room have been provided
for it will be time enough to put the
fringes on the High School.

The people of the North and of the
South will join hands in sincere sor-
row at the death of Miss Winnie Dav-
is. Her high and noble character
was such as to disarm the sneers of
the scandal monger, and in spite of
the fact that she has held a promi-
nent position in the eyes of the world,
no act of hers has ever brought shame
or reproach upon the almost sacred
title she bore.

Those persons who have been wor-
rying about General Wheeler's seat in
Congress will take notice that the man
who does his duty faithfully and well
is appreciated in some sections of the
country at any rate.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FURNISHED BEDROOMS ON 23TH
street suitable for married couple
or two gentlemen. Bath room on
same floor. Address "C." Klor's Up-
town Drug Store. sep 20-31.

FOR RENT—A furnished room with
use of bath, suitable for one gentle-
man. Apply at 120 29th street. 3 t.

LOST—UMBRELLA IN HAMPTON.
Initials A. W. G. Reward if left at
Press office. 4h.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN OF EX-
perience, position in dry goods, cloth-
ing, or clerical position of any kind;
reference. Address POSITION, this
office. 4h.

WANTED—BY MISS WILLIE READ,
Luray, Va., a position as stenog-
rapher and typewriter; best references.
Local reference, Miss Cheever, 229
Twenty-fifth street, this city. 1*

FOR SALE—Saloon business; bar fix-
tures, stock, etc., complete. First-
class stand. Enquiries of
W. T. MUNDEN,
Phoebe, Va.

WANTED—A good dress maker that
will work by the day, also an ap-
prentice. Apply Monday to 227 28th at.
sep 18-1 t

WANTED—To rent three rooms un-
furnished. State price. Address
care of Press. sep 16-3 t

LOST—Between Hampton and New-
port News a hunting case gold watch
with initials on lid. Finder will re-
ceive liberal reward by returning to
Press office. sep 16-3 t

WANTED—Physician's office. Ad-
dress "Doctor," care of Press office.
sep 16-3 t

WANTED—Table boarders. Best ac-
commodations. Apply at 119 Twenty-
ninth street, near West avenue.
sep 14-2 t

WHEN IN NEED OF FIRST-CLASS
Sign Painting call on E. R. WHIT-
TON, 311 Twenty-eighth street.
sep 12-2 t

I am Still Alive,
But Dyeing.

Is now ready for work. All work
guaranteed to be first-class in every re-
spect. A trial will convince you that I
can make your old suit look a new one.
My prices are extremely low. A call
will be appreciated.
Carpet Cleaned without removing
them from the floor. 311

W. FRIEDBERG,
Proprietor.

221 Twenty-seventh st.,
(Old Wilkink stand.) sep 18-1 t.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Daily Press Company has leased
its Job Printing Department to Mr. C.
H. Huband, who in the future will con-
duct this branch of the business on his
own account, under the name of the
Daily Press Job Office, C. H. Huband,
lessee.

Mr. Huband has been connected with
the Daily Press in the capacity of for-
man of its Job Office for a number of
years. He is an artistic printer and a
man worthy of the patronage of the
public. He has at his command all the
facilities essential for doing first class
work.

Mr. Huband takes charge of our Job
Printing Department under the most
favorable auspices. The business of
this branch has been extensive and is
constantly increasing. In leasing a
portion of its plant to Mr. Huband the
management of the Daily Press is ac-
tuated by a desire to be relieved of the
details attendant upon commercial and
bad printing and to devote undivided
attention to its newspaper interest.

The Daily Press Company,
C. E. THACKER,
President and Manager.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

I take pleasure in announcing to the
business men and general public of
Newport News that I have leased from
the Daily Press Company that branch
of their plant known as the Daily Press
Job Office, and will hereafter conduct
the same in my own name, as lessee,
and feel confident in assuring those
who entrust their orders to me that they
will be executed in a neat and art-
istic manner, and at the lowest prices
consistent with high class work.

C. H. HUBAND, Lessee.

Wanted—Boarders,
BY MRS. M. E. DOSWELL,
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First class table and pleas-
ant rooms. Terms reason-
able. July 3-6m



A Good Judge of Fuel,
will never burn anything but our high
grade coal. It is not only satisfactory
for cooking and heating purposes, but
its intense heat and long continued
combustion makes it economical in the
household.

C. C. SMITH & CO.

Clearing Sale Of Our Entire Stock of Shirt Waists

All 50 cent Shirt Waists from
now on, 25c

All \$1.00 Shirt Waists from now
on, for, 48c

WRAPPERS
We must close out all Wrappers
regardless of cost.

Light Calico Wrappers for 39c

Lawn and Percale Wrappers
that sold at from \$1 to \$1.50, from
now on, for 59c

Navy Blue and White, Black
and White Wrappers, for 89c

Crash Blouses for 49c

White Duck Skirts, 59c

Capital Dry Goods House

2610 Washington Avenue

Beauty, Health And Complexion

Is the name of a
book containing val-
uable information re-
garding the subjects
upon which it treats,
many valuable house-
hold receipts, etc. Call
and get one while they
last.

A new line of Toilet
Soaps and perfumery.
Also Hair Brushes
cheaper than I ever
sold them before.

Wm. G. Burgess,
The Druggist.



There are many people in Newport
News also who can't get bread to suit
their taste because they don't know
that we make the purest and most de-
licious bread stuffs in Newport News.
We also make the richest and finest
pastry, fancy cakes, wedding cakes,
and macaroons to be found
anywhere. We cater to the most fas-
tidious palate and never fail to please
our patrons.

A. B. WILKINK,
417 Twenty-seventh street, near Wash-
ington Avenue.

Hotel
Warwick.

J. R. SWINERTON, Manager.

SPECIAL RATES TO COMMERCIAL
TRAVELERS.

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLAN

City of Newport News, Va. Opening of the Public Schools

To Parents and Guardians:

You are hereby notified that
all the Public Schools of this city
are now open for the Fall and
Winter term, 1898-'99.

Scholars are requested to be
in attendance promptly each day.
Boys are requested to wear strong,
serviceable and neat clothing, and
parents and guardians are recom-
mended to purchase it of

Hirshberg,
THE BANNER CLOTHIER
2606 WASHINGTON AVENUE

If you want a building lot
Buy it of the
Old Dominion Land Company

Lots for sale on easy terms in all sections of the
city.

Finely located business lots on Washington ave.

Farms for sale or rent in Elizabeth City, War-
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Old Dominion Land Company,
ROOM NO. 11.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING.
OFFICE OPEN UNTIL 8 P. M.

Is the War Over?

Well we hope it is, but we know
that summer and hot weather will be
with us for some time to come and if
you have not already availed yourself
of the chance to get a good Detroit
Jewel Gas Range you have missed one
of your best friends and more, you
have missed the comfort that can only
be had from the use of gas fuel, which
brings delight and happiness wherever
it is in use. Talk is cheap you may
say and a gas man must "gas," and
who can blame him. He knows a good
thing—he wants to push it along, and
he is willing that his friends should
share in the procession. Generous soul
that he is, he gives his advice free. It
is no trouble to sing the praises of gas
for fuel and as for light, its beauty
shines so he who runs may be impress-
ed. Gas for fuel at \$1.00 is the cheapest
fuel if it is economically used. Are
you economical? You are prudent and
wise. Therefore get a gas range. We
will tell you something next week
about heating that will surprise you.
Call No. 34 on either phone if you can
not call. But come if you can.

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W. S. BOWEN, Supt.

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All kinds of hauling done at low
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our ales, beers, whiskies, brandies, gins,
wines and cordials are the finest on the
market. For medicinal purposes they
are pure and made by the most reliable
distillers of Europe and America.

R. J. MACKAY.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

The city of Newport News, Va., will
receive, up to 12 o'clock noon of the
19TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1898,

sealed proposals for the construction
work and materials of a brick building
to be used as a jail and also to contain
a police station house and emergency
hospital. The proposals must cover all
the cost of the building, together with
necessary prison cells, steel work and
other appliances for a thoroughly
equipped modern jail. The proposals
shall be made upon plans and specifica-
tions furnished by the bidders at their
own expense without any cost to the
city, which shall accompany and be
submitted with the bid. All such bids
will be securely sealed and sent or de-
livered to the city clerk of Newport
News and must be in his hands by 12
o'clock of the day mentioned.

Particulars as to size, expected cost
and general nature of the building and
equipment will be furnished upon ap-
plication by the city clerk.

The city reserves the right to reject
any or all bids.

J. A. MASSIE,
City Clerk.

E. W. JOHNSON
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

NEWPORT NEWS, VA.

Plans and Specifications Prepared on
Short Notice.

HOUSE WORK A SPECIALTY

M. H. TUCK,
The Veterinary Horse Shoer

If your horse strikes, clicks or
forges, Tuck, the Shoer, will stop it.
First-class shoeing. I am here to stay.
Shop at Twenty-seventh street and
Warwick avenue, Phillips & Benson's
old coal yard. 1st-3m.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

The city of Newport News, Va., will
receive sealed proposals for the con-
struction of two iron bridges and the
approaches thereto in accordance with
plans and specifications to be selected
by the bidders and furnished and sub-
mitted along with the bids on the same
at the expense of the city. Strain sheets
must accompany all plans and speci-
fications. Particulars as to the kind of
bridges and the general character and
dimensions of the same will be furnish-
ed upon application by the city en-
gineer. Such proposals shall be sent or
delivered to the city clerk, securely
sealed, and must be in his possession at
12 o'clock noon of

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH, 1898.

The city reserves the right to reject
any or all bids.

J. A. MASSIE,
City Clerk.

Patronize Home Industry
Having doubled our force we are now
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the celebrated

EL MARCO CIGARS
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NEWPORT NEWS CIGAR CO.,
P. O. Box 95

Our Soldier Boys

Are now returning. We heartily wel-
come them home.

Three Cheers and a tiger for the
boys who went to the front and did so nobly.

After war, peace, with peace, busi-
ness activity, and we shall, as heretofore, be
found in the front ranks of bargain distributors
and price cutters.

68c

140 pairs Youths' solid leather
school shoes, sizes 11 to 2. Regular value \$1.

98c

112 pairs Boys' satin calf and Rus-
sia leather school shoes, solid throughout, sizes
3 to 5. Regular value \$1.50.

98c

97 pairs Misses' genuine Dongo
patent leather tip, spring heel, lace or button
shoes. Regular value \$1.50

\$1.98

177 pairs Men's hand welted Rus-
sia calf and vici kid tan and black shoes. These
goods are our regular \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 lines.

98c

176 Men's black and brown, derbys
and ferderos. These are all the latest styles.
Regular value \$1.50, \$2, and \$2.50.

H. SOMMERS,

Un-to-date Shoe, Hat and Gent's Furnishing Store

2906 Washington Ave., Newport News, Va.

Dr. R. Lee Robinson DENTIST,

Washington avenue and Twenty-eighth street, over Ideal Pharmacy
Office Hours 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. Sundays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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VITALIZED AIR FOR PAINLESS EXTRACTING.

GOOD SET.....5 DOLLARS
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PARTIAL SETS.....IN PROPORTION
No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered.

Extracting.....25c
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Silver filling.....50c up
Gold.....\$1.00 up
Teeth Cleaned.....75c
Bridge work and crowns 22 karat gold, \$5 per tooth.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

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We offer depositors every accommodation which their balances, business and
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